

Review B: Kinds of Sentence Structure

EXERCISE A Identify each sentence by writing *CD* for *compound* or *CX* for *complex* on the line provided.

Example CD 1. I can't fix a leaky faucet, nor can I fix a faulty electrical outlet.

- _____ 1. When we have plumbing problems, we call Señor Rodriguez.
- _____ 2. Sometimes Señor Rodriguez comes himself, and sometimes he sends one of his employees.
- _____ 3. Elaine Blum, who lives across the street, is an electrician.
- _____ 4. She has a pickup truck, which she uses to carry her tools and supplies.
- _____ 5. We enjoy Elaine's company, and she is a helpful neighbor, too.

EXERCISE B In the following sentences, underline each independent clause once and each subordinate clause twice. Then, identify each sentence by writing *S* for *simple*, *CD* for *compound*, *CX* for *complex*, or *CD-CX* for *compound-complex* on the line provided.

Example CX 1. When I studied the globe, I located Peru in South America.

- _____ 6. During the summer I will visit Australia, which people call the Land Down Under.
- _____ 7. While I am there, I'll also visit New Zealand.
- _____ 8. New Zealand is a small country that lies southeast of Australia.
- _____ 9. I am not afraid of flying, and I am not afraid of long ocean voyages.
- _____ 10. In fact, I may become a flight attendant.
- _____ 11. Flight attendants get discounts on airfare; their families are also eligible for lower fares.
- _____ 12. Have you ever been to England?
- _____ 13. Since globes make me wonder about life in different countries, I like to study them; I enjoy maps as well.
- _____ 14. Ireland is located off the western coast of England, but Scotland is north of England on the same landmass.
- _____ 15. If you see the waters of the Caribbean Sea, you will fall in love with their gemlike color and clarity.